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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## ROUTE 254 CONSTRUCTION PROJECT BEGINS NEAR MIRANDA IN HUMBOLDT COUNTY

**Eureka –** Caltrans announced today that a retaining wall construction project on Route 254, one half mile south of School Road near Miranda, will begin Monday, May 7. Work hours will be 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., weekdays. One-way traffic control will be in effect with a temporary signal system during wall construction. Motorists should anticipate 10-minute delays.

Once completed, motorists will notice a smoother ride though the area and future maintenance costs will be reduced as the project will eliminate the current need for frequent repairs at the site.

For the safety of other travelers and construction workers, please watch for the temporary signal when proceeding through the area, and remember to Slow for the Cone Zone. The contractor is Mercer-Fraser Company of Eureka and the project is scheduled to be completed in winter 2013.

For the most current road information on all State highways, please call 1-800-427-7623 (1-800-GAS-ROAD) or visit www.dot.ca.gov.

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